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TO: Choices for Care Providers

FROM: Adèle Edelman

DATE: March 30, 2007

RE: Final policy: Paying Spouses

Please find attached the final policy regarding paying spouses as caregivers for Choices for Care consumers. This policy supersedes the policy issued on March 12, 2007.

Two revisions were made to the policy as a result of comments received. The changes relate to clarifying language. There is no substantive change from the policy issued earlier, however I recommend that you destroy the previous policy and replace it with this one.

As previously noted, the policy becomes effective May 1, 2007. Thank you.